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Press Release

KA SEI TÄ 'OTOU KAINAGA? 'OS TE AG'ESEA 'E HUAG MÄEAV HANISI!

(WHO IS MY NEIGHBOUR? A JOURNEY IN COMPASSION)

The Fiji Rotuman Association (FRA) wishes to acknowledge the support and participation of its members, families and friends during this year's Rotuma Day Celebration. We are grateful to the Chief Guests His Excellency Jioji Konrote and the First Lady Sarote Konrote for gracing us with their presence and contribution to the day's intention as well as to Fekau Rigamoto and the Churchward choir for the opening service at the Chapel.

This year's theme: **KA SEI TÄ 'OTOU KAINAGA? 'OS TE AG'ESEA 'E HUAG MÄEAV HANISI! (Who Is My Neighbour? A Journey In Compassion)** was chosen as the main objective, which was to raise funds towards the nation's call for the Winston Appeal. According to the Chairperson this year's intention is very appropriate as we reach out to the victims of the natural disaster in a time of great need and as a people joining together with the rest of the nation.

A total collection made during the day included in kind yams from the FRA Farmer's show and groceries from the district associations as well as in cash as follow:

Association	Total
Noatau	1302.00
Oinafa	1350.00
Ituti'u	1350.00
Malha'a	2200.00
Juju	2736.00
Pepjei	1810.00
Itumuta	1420.00
Chief Guests	1000.00
TOTAL	13,168.00

We wish to also acknowledge the Suva Juju Association for raising the highest amount in this year's event. The total amount of \$13, 168.00 will be handed this morning at 9 am to the Prime Minister's office in Suva.

To our partners the Public Rental Board, the IPA Learning Centre and the Kip McGrath Education Centre Nasinu, thank you to for your support.

Please attribute an information in this communiqué to Paserio Furivai.

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